

## Message Text

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ACTION SY-05

INFO OCT-01 AF-08 ISO-00 /014 W  
-----080313Z 103002 /72  
R 071401Z APR 77  
FM AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA  
TO AMEMBASSY ATHENS  
SECSTATE WASHDC 3414

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ATHENS FOR TSO

STATE FOR A/SY/OPS/T

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ASEC  
SUBJ: COM ARMORED VEHICLE

1. REQUEST THAT A BASIC SPARE PARTS KIT BE ASSEMBLED AND SHIPPED TO ADDIS FOR COM ARMORED VEHICLE. AT PRESENT, WHEN VEHICLE HAS EVEN RELATIVELY MINOR MALFUNCTION, IT MAY BE DEADLINED PENDING ARRIVAL OF PARTS. PARTS, EVEN WITH TYPICALLY GOOD SERVICE FROM TSO ATHENS AND SY, USUALLY TAKE AT LEAST A WEEK TO TEN DAYS TO REACH POST, MEANING VEHICLE IS DEADLINED FOR AT LEAST THIS PERIOD. IN THE CURRENT SITUATION, IT MOST IMPORTANT THAT COM VEHICLE BE OPERATIONAL AT ALL TIMES.

2. IF POSSIBLE, REQUEST A SPARE PARTS KIT TO INCLUDE FUEL PUMP, DISTRIBUTOR ASSEMBLY, COIL, CARBURETOR (OR REPAIR KIT), VOLTAGE REGULATOR, IGNITION POINTS AND CONDENSOR, RADIATOR HOSES, WATER PUMP, APPROPRIATE GASKETS KITS, ALTERNATOR, STARTER, AND ANY OTHER ITEMS YOU FEEL USEFUL. POST ALREADY HAS PLUGS, BELTS, FILTERS, SPARK PLUG WIRES.

3. PARTS FOR THE VEHICLE ARE CLOSELY CONTROLLED BY THE RSO.

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WORK ON THE VEHICLE IS USUALLY DONE BY ONE MECHANIC WHO HAS ASSISTED VISITING SEABEES AND HAS THEIR EXPRESSED CONFIDENCE.

4. IF THIS IS NOT PRACTICAL, PLEASE ADVISE.

5. THANKS VERY MUCH.  
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## Message Attributes

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